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TO: Parties and Intervenors

FROM: S. Derek Phelps, Executive Director

RE: **DOCKET NO. 272** - The Connecticut Light and Power Company and The United Illuminating Company application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and

Public Need for the construction of a new 345-kV electric transmission line and associated facilities between the Scovill Rock Switching Station in Middletown and the

Norwalk Substation in Norwalk, Connecticut.

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) has scheduled evidentiary hearings on Tuesday, December 14, and Wednesday, December 15, 2004, in Room 309 at the Institute of Technology and Business Development, Central Connecticut State University (CCSU), 185 Main Street, in New Britain, from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. The Council will conduct a pre-hearing conference at 9:45 a.m.

The agenda that is proposed for the Tuesday, December 14 hearing session is for cross examination of KEMA's Report. The Wednesday, December 15 hearing session constitutes two parts; the first hour of the hearing is reserved for Mayors and First Selectman, and the remaining portion of the hearing is for cross examination of ABB HVDC Report.

Pre-filed testimony should be submitted to the Council by 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, December 7, 2004.

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